

MAY NOT ALLOW GLAVIS ON STAND

Former Agent Wants to Serve Without Compensation in Land Hearings.

Louis R. Glavis, the deposed special agent of the Department of the Interior, who made charges against Secretary Ballinger and other officials of the department in connection with the Cunningham coal cases in Alaska, it became known today, has offered to testify at the hearings on the Cunningham claims, which will be conducted this month in Seattle.

According to friends of Glavis here, he has let Secretary Ballinger know that he stands ready to testify at the hearing, and that he desires to do so. He has even gone so far, his friends say, as to offer to serve as a witness without compensation.

May Not Be Permitted.

The question is now whether the department will permit him to testify. He knows the ins and outs of the Cunningham claims, and is convinced that patients should not be issued. If he does appear it will undoubtedly be for the purpose of presenting testimony to block the patenting of the Cunningham entries. He is said to be convinced that if he is allowed to appear as a witness he can block the issue of patents and show that there has been fraud in connection with some of the entries.

If he does not appear and the department of the interior turns down his offer, then the department officials will be put in the light of not wanting to get at the bottom of the situation. Glavis and his friends, who include all the supporters of Gifford Pinchot, will be able to point to the turning down of the offer of Glavis to appear as an indication of what Glavis has alleged, that there has been undue desire in some quarters to hasten the Cunningham coal lands to patent.

A Most Interesting Turn.

It is in some respects the most interesting turn the Pinchot-Ballinger controversy has taken since Glavis was discharged.

The suggestion is made that Glavis has made his offer to appear as a witness in the hope that the Department of the Interior officials will refuse to allow him to testify, feeling that such a refusal would put these officials in the position of not wanting evidence and thus tending to back up the assertions he has been making in his charges.

PAVEMENT MATERIAL CAUSES COMPLAINT

School Board Requests Removal of Crushed Stone From Playgrounds.

Protest against the use of crushed stone as a covering for playgrounds for public schools is made to the Commissioners by the Board of Education. The removal of the stone from the grounds of the H. D. Cooke and Lucretia A. Mott schools is requested owing to the "general undesirability of the material."

The board will be informed by the Commissioners that its protest was received with some surprise as previously declared to be undesirable. If the board has any suggestions regarding a covering for the playgrounds, the Commissioners say they will be glad to consider them.

Popular Excursion, Sunday, October 17th. Baltimore & One Day Round Trip. Harpers Ferry, Chagostown, Summit Point, Stephenson, and Winchester, and return. Special train leaves Washington 6 a. m., returning same day. Advt.

POLAR BEARS TO DRAW AMUNDSEN IN ARCTIC

Norwegian Explorer Has Novel Solution of Problem of Transportation on Polar Expeditions—Has Twenty Animals Trained for the Work.

HAMBURG, Germany, Oct. 11.—Capt. Roald Amundsen, a widely known Danish explorer, who is about to start on a polar expedition, has decided to try a remarkable innovation in the use of draft animals for polar travel. He will endeavor to make polar bears draw his sledges.

Some time ago Captain Amundsen made a contract with Carl Hagenbeck, a famous animal trainer, for twenty ice bears three years old. Hagenbeck's men have been industriously training the bears for a month, and the results are said to promise success for them in polar work.

The animals will be shipped this week to Christiania, Norway, where they will be taken on board Captain Amundsen's ship.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—That Captain Roald Amundsen will reach the North Pole with his team of polar bears is the general belief of his many friends in this country, who have watched the daring explorer since he first found the true magnetic Pole. When a few years ago he forced the northwest passage in

DECIDED INCREASE IN GULF IMPORTS

Trade, However, With South America Is Falling Off.

The growth in exports through Gulf ports from \$134,000,000 in 1899 to \$410,000,000 in 1908, an increase of 112 per cent, while the Atlantic ports were increasing 12 per cent in their exports, has resulted in many calls upon the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Commerce and Labor for information as to the factors forming this growth and the countries to which these exportations have been sent.

A surprising thing about these figures is the great falling off of commerce with South America. That the United States should have the bulk of the South American trade is generally recognized, but the figures show that this trade has fallen to almost nothing. For instance, the exportations from Galveston to South America fell from \$12,491 to \$1,569 in the ten years. The great increases were in the shipments to Great Britain and Germany and France.

NORTHEAST CITIZENS WILL MEET TONIGHT

The Northeast Washington Citizens' Association will meet in Northeast Templeton tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

AMERICAN IN ACADEMY.

PARIS, Oct. 11.—Whitney Warren, of Boston, the new foreign associate, has taken his seat in the Academie des Beaux Arts, and received the congratulations of his fellow.

Attend Great Hagerstown Fair. Excursion tickets good on all trains October 11 to 15, valid for return until 10th. For special train 7:30 a. m., October 14, returning same day, \$2.30 round trip. Advt.

Swift & Company's sales of fresh beef in Washington for the week ending Saturday, Oct. 9, averaged 6.59 cts. per lb. Advt.

ALHAMBRA ORDER READY TO MEET

Third Biennial Convention Will Be Opened Here Tomorrow.

The fleet tribesmen of the desert, the men who tend the camels, the camel drivers and scribes of the Order of the Alhambra, have started many caravans toward Washington, where they will set up their tents in the Mallon Rauscher, Connecticut avenue and L street, for the third biennial convention of their order, which begins tomorrow.

Alcantara Caravan, No. 12, of this city, will look after the comfort of the tribesmen, and furnish food and lodging for the patient beasts of the desert. All of which means that the special branch of the Knights of Columbus, of which the Alhambra form a part, will have high jinks during the next two days in this city, ending with a visit to Mt. Vernon, where the dusky Bedouins will pay tribute to the Father of the Country.

There are twenty-one caravans of the Order of the Alhambra distributed liberally over the United States. Every one of them will have large representation in the semi-annual convention, which begins its sessions tomorrow.

The tribesmen attached to the supreme caravan will assemble at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning for a business session. At 2 o'clock a luncheon will be served, and at 3 o'clock the program calls for a tour of the city "on camels," with Sir Noble Repetti, of this city, as the guide. At 8 o'clock the Alcantara Caravan degree team will show the visitors how a bunch of neophytes should be conducted to Mecca. At 9 o'clock a banquet will be tendered the great commanders and representatives.

Sir Noble Joseph P. Cahill will conduct the affair. Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock the distinguished visitors will make their pilgrimage to Mt. Vernon. The officers of the supreme caravan are: William A. Bennett, of Brooklyn, N. Y., supreme commander; James P. Sullivan, of Brooklyn, N. Y., supreme scribe; Peter J. Skelly, supreme chamberlain; John J. Keogh, supreme propagandist; James J. Hopkins, past grand commander; Timothy J. Sullivan, grand commander; Michael L. Monaghan, noble; James P. Judge, noble; William A. Burns, vice supreme commander; and George E. Lanagan, supreme captain of bodyguard.

Baltimore and Ohio Train Service to Government Aviation Field at College Park, Md.—In addition to the frequent train service from Washington to College Park, the following express trains will stop on signal during the aeroplane trials: Leaving Washington, a. m., 10 a. m., 2 p. m., 4 p. m., 6 p. m., 8 p. m. Excellent service returning. Advt.

TEACHERS GET PAY; FIRST THIS SEASON

Payment of \$150,000 Made This Afternoon—Hine Delivers Checks.

The hearts of 1,650 school teachers of the District schools will be made glad this afternoon by the receipt of the checks for their September salaries. Nearly \$150,000 will be checked out today to the teachers who have not seen a pay day since the middle of June.

All of the red tape necessary for the payment of the salaries has been accomplished, and the checks are already made out in the office of the auditor, ready to be transferred to the supervising principals, who will deliver the checks in person to the teachers.

Isaac Fairbrother, supervisor of the Eighth division, is said to have been in giving out checks will be done by Secretary Hine, of the school board.

MISERY FROM A BAD STOMACH AND DYSPEPSIA WILL VANISH

A little Diapepsin will make you feel fine in five minutes.

Take your sour, out-of-order stomach—or maybe you call it indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or Catarrh of the stomach. It doesn't matter—take your stomach trouble right with you to your Pharmacist and ask him to open a 50-cent case of Diapepsin and let you eat one 2-grain Triangle and see if within five minutes there is left any trace of your former misery. The correct name for your trouble is Food Fermentation—food souring; the digestive organs become weak, there is lack of gastric juice, your food is only half digested, and you become afflicted with loss of appetite, pressure and fullness after eating, vomiting, nausea, heartburn, griping in bowels, tenderness in the pit of stomach, bad taste in mouth, constipation, pain in limbs, sleeplessness, belching of gas, biliousness, sick headache, nervousness, dizziness or many other similar symptoms. If your appetite is feeble and nothing tempts you, or you belch gas or if you feel bloated after eating, or your food lies like a lump of lead on your stomach, you can make up your mind that at the bottom of all this there is but one cause—fermentation of undigested food. Prove to yourself in five minutes that your stomach is as good as any; that there is nothing really wrong. Stop this fermentation and begin eating what you want without fear of discomfort or misery. Almost instant relief is waiting for you. It is merely a matter of how soon you take a little Diapepsin.

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